

# CSWC Operational Period Summary

## 0600 July 25 2014 to 1800 July 25 2014



Sand Fire, Amador/ El Dorado Counties. Photo Credit: News10



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# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

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Per CAL FIRE and Cal OES Duty Officers as of 07/25/14 at 1930 hours:

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- Reverse 911 implemented advising Mandatory Evacuations for 69 residences and 1 business east of Highway 49 to Dwyer, and Voluntary Evacuations for an additional 296 residences at Dwyer to Mt. Aukum in El Dorado County.
- Amador County Sheriff reporting evacuations at Kirkland to Crane, Upton to El Dorado County, Kirkland Ranch Winery, Story Winery, and Rancho Cicada area.
- A shelter has been opened at the Marshall Building at El Dorado County Fairgrounds located at 100 Placerville Drive in Placerville.
- El Dorado County EOC is activated at Level 2.
- Inland REOC activated at Level 2 and SOC activated at Level 1 in support of El Dorado County EOC.
- A Cal OES Fire Assistant Chief has been deployed to the Sand Incident.
- A Cal OES Inland Emergency Services Coordinator has been deployed to the Sand Incident.
- See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **I-5 Closure, East Los Angeles County (New / Final)**

At 1600 hours on 7/25/14, the California State Warning Center became aware of media reports indicating that the I-5 Freeway has been closed in both directions in East Los Angeles at the Olympic Boulevard overpass. Per the Cal OES Law Duty Officer, who is in contact with LASD, a jumper is sitting on the ledge of the freeway sign. The individual is refusing to leave and Los Angeles County Sheriff's Crisis Negotiators are at scene. The Los Angeles County Fire is also at scene with an air cushion. All northbound traffic is being diverted onto I-710 and all southbound traffic is being diverted to Ditman and Olympic, heavy congestion is being reported in the area. At approximately 1945 hours, Cal OES Law Duty Officer advised I-5 has been reopened and the suspect has been taken into custody.

## **Gilroy Garlic Festival, Santa Clara County (New)**

The 36th annual Gilroy Garlic Festival will run from 7/25 - 7/27 in Gilroy. It will be held at Christmas Hill Park in Gilroy and in years past, over 100,000 people have attended the event. The event will raise money for local charities.

## **Bomb Threat, Coliseum BART Station, Oakland, Alameda County (New / Final)**

At approximately 0740 hours on 7/25, the Coliseum BART Station in Oakland, Alameda County, was closed after a person reported hearing another individual making a bomb threat. The station was evacuated and investigators including BART Police and Alameda County Sheriff's Department responded to scene. Per the Cal OES Law Duty Officer, no bomb was located and the station was cleared.

## **Natural Gas Leak, Dinuba, Tulare County (New / Final)**

At approximately 1313 hours on 7/24, a contractor damaged a 4 inch natural gas main in Dinuba, Tulare County. Fifty-two houses, one apartment complex, and eight businesses were evacuated. An evacuation center was established. Per Tulare OES the leak was sealed at 2154 hours and the evacuees were released to go back home.

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA:**

High pressure near the 4-Corners gradually builds towards California over the next few days. Temperature and relative humidity have returned to normal mid-summer levels and it will only get slightly warmer and drier through the weekend. Lingered northerly breezes across the Sacramento Valley and Foothills today, otherwise light Northwest to Southwest winds most areas over the next few days. As the 4-Corners High builds closer to the West Coast next week, the leading edge of monsoonal moisture could brush the Sierra and Cascades with isolated thunderstorms by late Monday or Tuesday and perhaps lingering chances of lightning into the midweek period. However, no significant lightning, or wind is expected over the 7-Day period. The main weather concern will be continued warming and drying in all areas with poor overnight relative humidity recoveries on mid-upper slopes.

# WEATHER

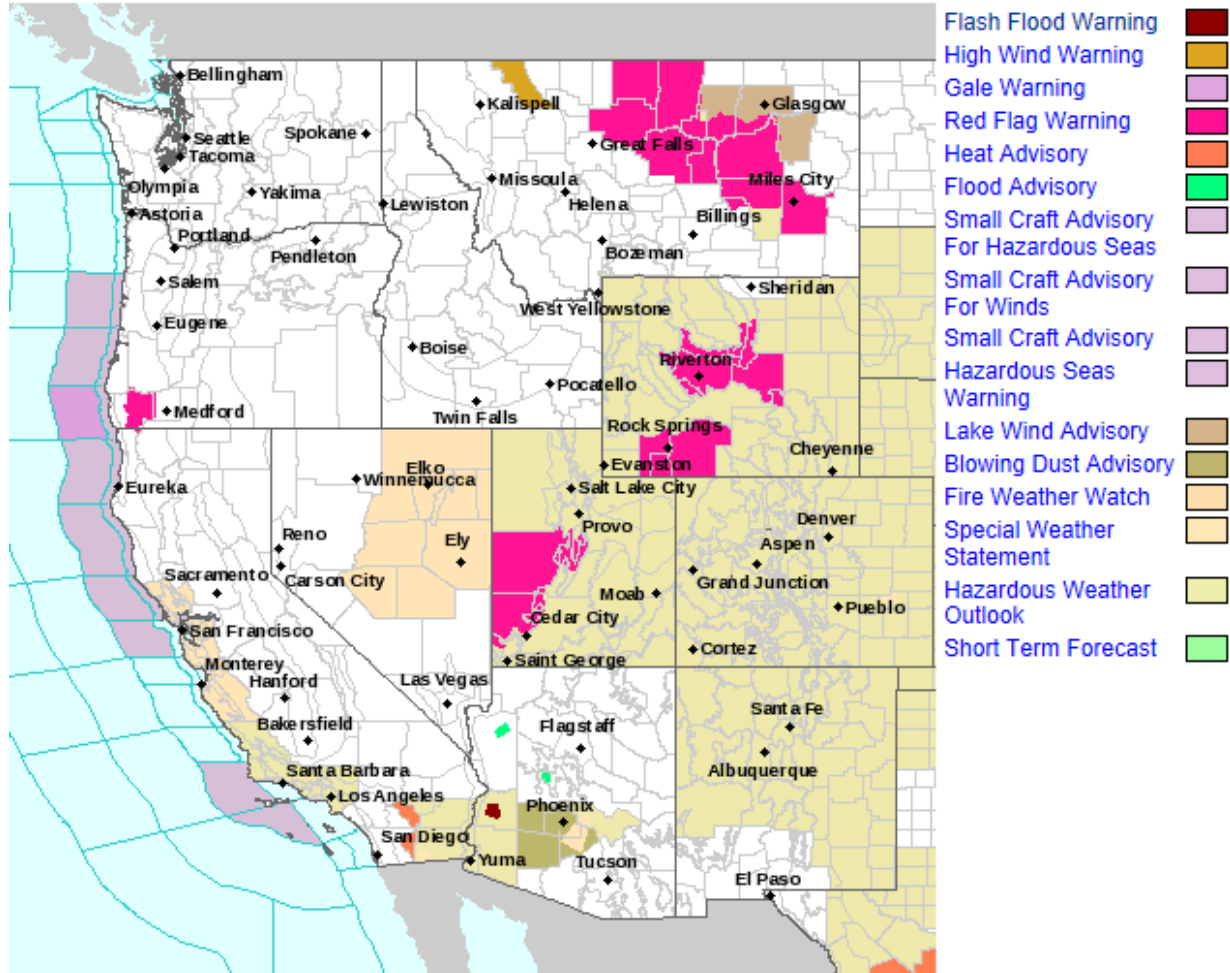
## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:**

A strong ridge over the southern plains is expected to continue its expansion westward over the next few days. This will result in very warm temperatures across the entire region. Although temperatures will be slightly cooler over Southern California today, temperatures will remain above normal throughout the period. Over the next few days, expect highs of 100-105 across the inland valleys and lower foothills to the 90s in the mountains below 5,000 feet. The low desert will see readings up to 115. A slight amount of monsoonal moisture will drift into the southern part of the state this afternoon which will result in an increase in mid and high level cloudiness. A few thunderstorms will be possible today and Saturday across the Cleveland and eastern San Bernardino National Forests eastward into the deserts south of I-15. The chance of thunderstorms will spread into the Sierras south of Yosemite National Park Sunday through the first half of next week. As the lower atmosphere will remain very dry, the storms may produce a few dry strikes along with some gusty winds during the next few days. But the storms will be far fewer in number compared to last weekend. Expect little day-to-day change in the weather through the middle of next week. A slight cooling trend may occur the following weekend. Winds will be light the next few days, except during the passage of thunderstorms.



# STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Jul, 25th 2014 at 8:16:04 pm MDT

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**



## **Preparedness Levels:**

### **National Preparedness Level 3**

#### **Northern California**

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

#### **Southern California**

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

## **California Fire Potential & Weather Maps**

### **Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

### **Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

### **California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

### **NWS California River Forecast Center:**

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

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### **EOC Activations:**

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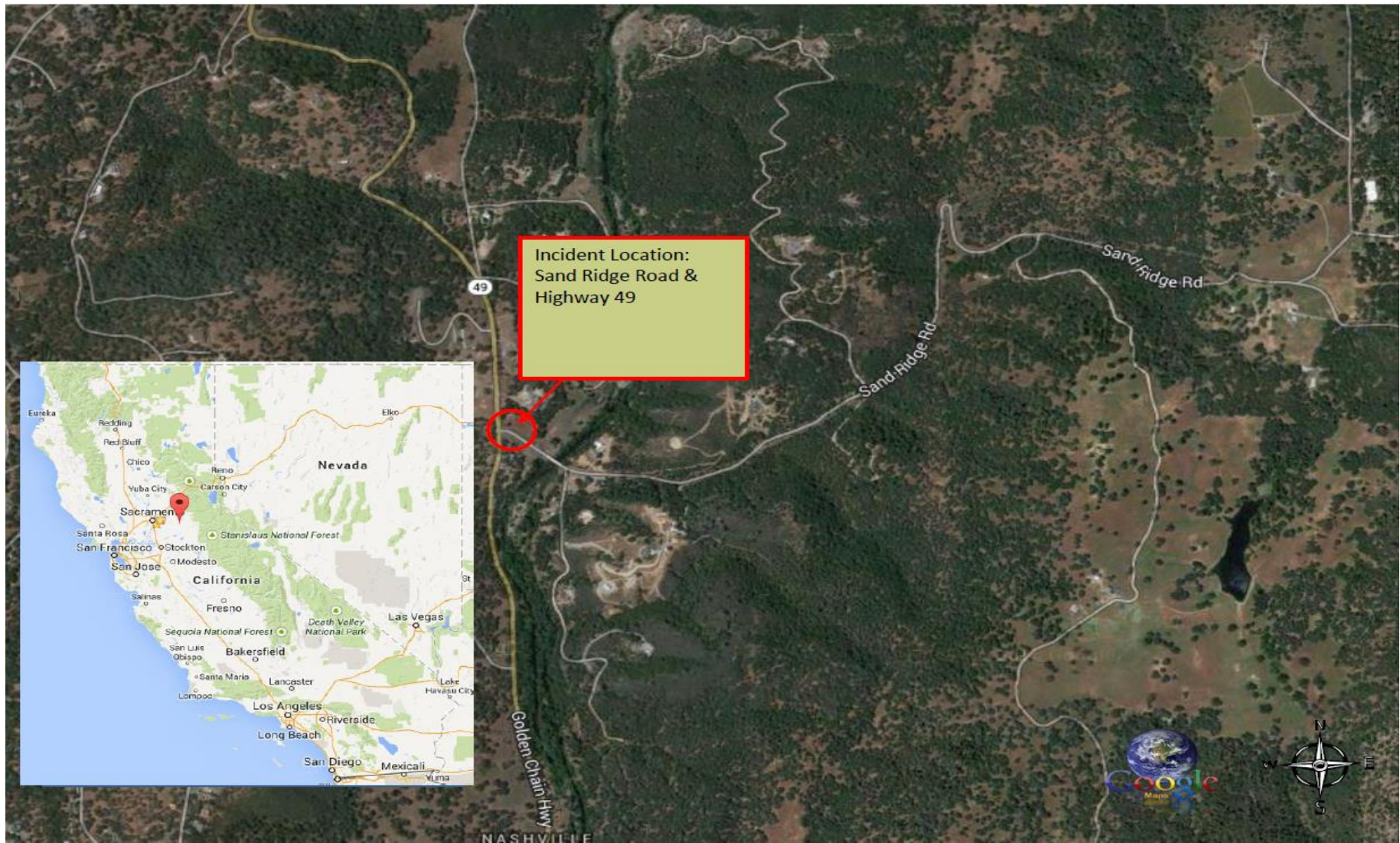
## Sand Incident, Vegetation Fire, Amador/ El Dorado Counties Cont. (New)



### Deployments

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# **CAL OES ACTIVATIONS**

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- The SOC is activated at Level 2 in support of the Drought State of Emergency from 0800-1700 hours daily.
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 2 from 0800-1700 Monday through Friday or as needed.
- The Southern REOC is activated at Level 1.
- The Santa Barbara County OA EOC is activated at Level 2 to be handled by the duty officer for the purpose of monitoring activities and gaining situational awareness. The operational period is Monday – Friday, 0800-1700 hours.

### Situational Summary

On January 17, 2014 Governor Edmund G. Brown proclaimed a State of Emergency and directed state officials to take all necessary actions to prepare for drought conditions. The State Operation Center (SOC) is activated to implement objectives in support of the Governor's priorities. The lack of winter rain and snowfall has resulted in extremely dry conditions in many parts of the State. Reservoir levels are down significantly from where they should be on average for this time of year. If conditions continue severe impacts to municipal water supplies, agriculture (plants and livestock) and firefighting capabilities are likely in store for the State over the next few months. Negative economic impacts will also result.

The drought could result in severe impacts to the municipal water supplies, wells, agriculture (plants and livestock) and firefighting capabilities for several months. The SOC continues to be activated to monitor the situation statewide, and support regional and local operational areas.

- On 7/15/14 the State Water Resources Control Board passed a new emergency regulation to reduce out door urban water use. The regulation makes an exception for health and safety circumstances. Local agencies can ask courts to fine water users up to \$500.00 a day and the SWRCB can fine water agencies up to \$10,000.00 per day. [The adopted regulations are expected to go into effect by August 1, 2014 and remain in effect for 270 days.](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/publications_forms/publications/factsheets/docs/emergregsurban_fs072214.pdf)  
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- Current Reservoir Levels continue to decline. Pine Flat had a 4% decrease from last week. Levels as of July 22: Don Pedro 46%; Exchequer 22%; Folsom Lake 43%; Lake Oroville 37%; Millerton Lake 55%; New Melones 27%; Pine Flat 19%; San Luis 25%; Lake Shasta 36%; Trinity Lake 38%; Pyramid Lake 92%; and Castaic Lake 46%.

### Situational Summary

- On July 15, 2014, CDFA in partnership with U.C. Davis Center for Watershed Sciences released a study titled Economic Analysis of the 2014 Drought for California Agriculture. The study indicates the drought in California is the third most severe on record and is responsible for the greatest water loss ever seen for the state's agriculture, and river water for Central Valley farms has been reduced by roughly one-third, according. Direct costs to agriculture total about \$1.5 billion (which include revenue losses of \$1 billion and \$0.5 billion in additional pumping costs). This net revenue loss is about 3% of the state's total agricultural value
- Save our Water. Find easy tips both [indoors](#) and [outdoors](#) and start saving water every day. Tour the California Urban Water Conservation Council's interactive [H2ouse](#) to learn more ways to save water indoors and outdoors! <http://www.saveourh2o.org/tips>
- The 2014 Governor Drought Task Force continues to meet regularly to take actions that conserve water and coordinate state response to the drought.
- Cal OES continues to gather drought-related costs from state agencies and local governments.



# Drought Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

## County Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations			
<b>Inland Region</b>			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Glenn	1/30/2014; 4/16/2014	State and Federal relief	3/10/2014
Kern	1/14/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/27/2014
Kings	1/14/2014	State and Federal assistance	7/14/2014
Madera	1/28/2014	No specific request	7/21/2014
Mariposa	5/13/2014	State and Federal assistance	7/8/2014
Merced	3/6/2014	No specific request	6/27/2014
Modoc	3/5/2014	No specific request	5/27/2014
San Joaquin	1/28/2014	No specific request	5/21/2014
Shasta	5/15/2014	No specific request	6/23/2014
Siskiyou	3/11/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/17/2014
Sutter	2/11/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/2/2014
Tulare	2/4/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	7/15/2014
Tuolumne	2/4/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	7/18/2014
Yuba	2/18/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	7/14/2014
<b>Coastal Region</b>			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Humboldt	7/1/2014	No specific request	
Lake	3/6/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	
Mendocino	1/7/2014	No specific request	
Sonoma	2/25/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	
<b>Southern Region</b>			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Inyo	1/28/2014	CDAA	
Santa Barbara	1/17/2014; 5/23/2014	No Specific request; CDAA	
San Luis Obispo	3/11/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	



## **Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations: (Cont.)**

### **City / Tribe / Special District Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:**

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<b>City/Tribe/Special District</b>		<b>Request</b>
<b>Inland Region</b>		
City of Live Oak, Sutter	5/12/2014	Declare Local Emergency State/Fed assistance
Placer County Water Agency Placer	2/6/2014	Local conservation and funding measures
Twain Harte Community Services Dist Tuolumne	1/29/2014	Enact District conservation measures
Tule River Tribe Tulare	1/30/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Lake Don Pedro CSD, Mariposa, Tuolumne	2/18/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
Lodi City, San Joaquin County	7/1/2014	Declare Local Emergency State/Fed assistance
Karuk Tribe Siskiyou, Humboldt	2/18/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Montague City, Siskiyou	4/14/2014	
Mountain House CSD, San Joaquin County	7/1/2014	Declaring Stage 1 Mandatory Water Conservation
Mariposa Public Utility District	2/4/2014	Enact District conservation measures
Nevada Irrigation District	5/13/2014	Adopting Stage II Drought Contingency Plan
Ripon City, San Joaquin County	7/1/2014	Mandatory Water Conservation
Tuolumne Utilities District	2/13/2014	Declare a Stage III Water Emergency
Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation, Yolo	3/25/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Cortina Rancheria Kletsel Dehe Band of Wintun Indians, Colusa County	7/7/2014	Declared drought emergency / instituting conservation measures.



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City/Tribe/Special District		Request
<b>Coastal Region</b>		
Hoop Valley Tribe Humboldt	1/20/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Yurok Tribe Del Norte, Humboldt	1/29/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
City of Willits Mendocino	1/7/2014	Declare a Phase V Water Emergency
Brooktrails Township Community Svcs Dist, Mendocino	1/7/2014	
City of Calistoga Napa	2/4/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of St. Helena Napa	1/28/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of American Canyon Napa	2/4/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
City of Rio Dell, Humboldt	7/17/2014	Declare a Stage III Water Shortage Emergency
City of San Juan Bautista	5/15/2014	Declare a Water Shortage Emergency
Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe, Mendocino	3/21/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
<b>Southern Region</b>		
Carpinteria Valley Water District	2/12/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
Meiners Oaks Water District	3/4/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
Montecito Water District, Santa Barbara	2/11/2014	Declare a Water Emergency w/Conserv. measures
Goleta Water District	3/25/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
City of Santa Barbara	5/21/2014	Declare Stage II Water Emergency





# County Drought Task Force Meetings

Information as of 7/25/14

County Drought Task Force Upcoming Meetings		
Inland Region		
County	Previous Meetings	Upcoming Meetings
Butte	5/19/2014	11/1/2014
Kern	5/15/2014	TBD
Kings	7/18/2014	8/27/2014
Madera	6/18/2014	7/29/2014
Merced	7/10/2014	8/14/2014
Modoc	2/12/2014	TBD
Nevada	7/16/2014	TBD
Placer	3/12/2014	TBD
Plumas	7/7/2014	8/4/2014
Sacramento	reschedule	7/31/2014
San Joaquin	7/16/2014	8/13/2014
Siskiyou	5/22/2014	TBD
Stanislaus	6/19/2014	8/7/2014
Sutter	7/10/2014	8/14/2014
Tehama	5/19/2014	TBD
Tulare	7/14/2014	TBD
Tuolumne	7/17/2014	8/21/2014
Yolo	7/3/2014	8/7/2014
Coastal Region		
Hoop Valley Tribe	6/18/2014	TBD
Lake	7/17/2014	8/7/2014
Mendocino	7/17/2014	7/31/2014
Monterey	5/29/2014	7/30/2014
Napa	5/28/2014	TBD
San Mateo	7/17/2014	TBD
Southern Region		
Orange	6/25/2014	TBD
San Luis Obispo	7/24/2014	8/20/2014
Santa Barbara	7/23/2014	8/20/2014



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# CAL OES MISSIONS

## Ongoing Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW-4108**, The International Emergency Response Coordination Center (IERCC) reported a SPOT device sounding in Fresno County. The Cal OES LDO is coordinating resources.
- **2014-LAW-4105**, The Air Force Rescue Coordination Center (AFRCC) advised of an ELT sounding in the area of the San Pedro Basin, Los Angeles County that needs to be located & silenced. Civil Air Patrol (CAP) has been assigned and is in the process of locating the ELT.
- **2014-LAW-4100**, The CNG 95th CST to provide Chemical, biological, radiological and nuclear defense (CBRN) detection/monitoring for the opening event (an MLS game) at the new Levi Stadium in Santa Clara on Aug 2, 2014.
- **2014-LAW-3978**, 7/23/14 - Mission Re-opened - The San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department (SBSD) requested Law Enforcement (LE) dive team mutual aid resources to assist in the search for human remains as part of an active, ongoing homicide investigation. The Riverside County Sheriff Office (RCSO) accepted the mission and will assist searching several undisclosed bodies of water on Saturday and Sunday, July 26 & 27, 2014.
- **2014-LAW-2798**, El Dorado County is planning an in-county SAR exercise on 07/25/14 and 26 for their volunteers and have requested the assistance of the California National Guard (CNG) aviation assets to support the exercise. Elements of the exercise will include an orientation to the various CNG air assets (H72, H60 and CH47), hoist training, patient packaging for air evacuation and ground team insertion and extraction training.

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- **2014-LAW-2483**, The 95th CST will provide area monitoring, secure communications, and WMD expertise for the IRL Racing Event at Sonoma Raceway August 22-24, 2014. They will assist with advanced planning and be pre-positioned prior to the start of the event.
- **2014-LAW-2481**, The 95th CST will provide area monitoring, secure communications, and WMD expertise for the NHRA Racing Event at Sonoma Raceway July 25-27, 2014. They will assist with advanced planning and be pre-positioned prior to the start of the event.

## **Cal OES Telecommunications Resources Deployed**

San Luis Obispo County SO deploying Mobile Interoperability Gateway Unit -1(MIGU-1) for the County Fair which runs from July 16 thru the 27<sup>th</sup> to provide internet access and one phone line. In county deployment with no Cal OES personnel.





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